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Sir:

In response to a double patenting rejection in an office action dated June 23, 2005, Applicant submits herewith a terminal disclaimer of the above-referenced patent application over U.S. Patent No. 6,839,010. A check in the amount of \$130.00 accompanies this cover letter to pay the statutory disclaimer fee required by 37 CFR 120(d).

The undersigned is an attorney of record. If the Examiner would like to discuss any aspect of this application, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at (925) 621-2121.

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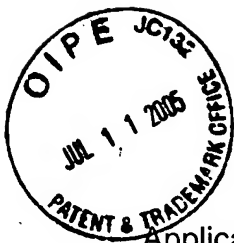
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The undersigned is an attorney or agent of record. The terminal disclaimer fee under 37 CFR 1.20(d) is included.

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